

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please amend the claims as follows:

Please replace "Claims" with WE CLAIM: .

1. (amended) A drug composition to be applied topically for promoting the regeneration of tissue, ~~characterized in that — it contains~~ comprising microparticles from blood cells and/or tissues which have been purified by a process selected from the group consisting of differential centrifugation, filtration or and affinity chromatography, ~~— it wherein the drug composition has been subjected to a procedure for~~ selected from the group consisting of virus inactivation and or virus depletion, — it has been prepared under sterile conditions, and — it is provided in a state selected from the group consisting of a freeze-dried state and a or deep-frozen state.
2. (amended) A drug composition according to claim 1, ~~characterized in that it contains~~ comprising soluble or insoluble substances promoting wound healing.
3. (amended) A drug composition according to claim 1 ~~or claim 2, characterized in that it contains~~ comprising cytokines and/or growth factors.
4. (amended) A drug composition according to claim 1 any of claims 1 to 3, characterized in that it contains comprising a substance which constitutes or may form a provisional extracellular matrix.
5. (amended) A drug composition according to claim 1 any of claims 1 to 4, characterized in that it contains comprising collagen.
- 6.(amended) A drug composition according to claim 1 any of claims 1 to 5, characterized in that it contains comprising fibrinogen and thrombin for the formation of a fibrin scaffold.

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7. (amended) A drug composition according to claim 4, characterized in that wherein an organic polymer, ~~in particular a polyacton~~ is used as the provisional extracellular matrix.

8. (amended) A drug composition according to claim 1 ~~any of claims 1 to 7~~, characterized in that it contains comprising inorganic compounds.

9. (amended) A drug product characterized in that it exhibits comprising
- a drug composition according to any of claims 1 to 8 and
a biocompatible material which is applied together with the drug composition.

10. (amended) A drug product according to claim 9, characterized in that wherein the biocompatible material is selected from the group consisting of titanium ~~or~~ and an apatite.

11. (amended) A process for promoting the regeneration of tissue, ~~in particular the regeneration of bone tissue, characterized in that~~ wherein a drug composition according to any of claims 1 to 8 is applied together with a biocompatible material ~~in particular titanium or an apatite~~.

12. (amended) ~~The use of an aqueous suspension which contains virus-inactivated microparticles from blood cells and/or tissues for the preparation of a drug composition~~ A method for accelerating cell growth, in particular the growth of osteoclasts comprising administering, to a cell, an aqueous suspension comprising virus-inactivated microparticles from a source selected from the group consisting of blood cells, tissues, and a combination thereof.

13. (new) The drug composition of claim 7, wherein the organic polymer is a polyacton.

14. (new) The process of claim 11, wherein the tissue in which regeneration is promoted is bone tissue.

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15. (new) The process of claim 11, wherein the biocompatible material is selected from the group consisting of titanium and an apatite.

16. (new) The process of claim 12, in which cell growth is accelerated in osteoclasts.